DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	6·96	5·75	Quantity per rupee by
Ragi	15·24	13·40	the standard seer of
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)...	Not available.		80 tolas.

Agricultural operations:—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are healthy, but two cases of Foot and Mouth disease are reported from Blackpalli. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for cultivation in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Hoskote Taluk, ragi in parts of Hoskote Taluk, 'Til' seeds in Hoskote and Nelamangala Taluks. Potato in Anekal Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane are in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks. Paddy in parts of Magadi and Anekal Taluks.

Estimated outturn of crops.—Paddy—Magadi 12 annas. Anekal 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Except for plague in parts of Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks, public health is good. There was a cholera case in Chamarajpet, Bangalore City, imported from Udipi.

12. Except "Dodroga" in parts of Dodballapur, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhall Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane* in Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Chintamani Taluks, yield 10 to 16 annas. *Vaisakhi paddy* in Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and chillies are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains show a tendency to rise. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for "*Plague*" in parts of Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks. "*Cholera*" is said to be prevailing in a few villages of Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks. A few cases of "Small-pox" are reported from Chintamani Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for "*Rinderpest*" in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta Chikballapur and Srinivaspur Taluks, and in parts of the Kolar Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Kunigal Taluks; Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; til and jola in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Tumkur—Paddy, 12 annas, sugar-cane 12 annas. Maddagiri—Paddy. Chiknayakanhalli—Paddy. Sira—Paddy. Kunigal—Sugar-cane. Koratagere—Paddy, 4 annas and sugar-cane.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, green gram, black gram and til are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, it is reported that the public health is good.

12. Except for "Dodroga" in parts of Turuvekere Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, it is reported that cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing ragi, etc., in parts of Nagamangala and Mandya Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Yedatore and togari in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and T.-Narsipur; jola in parts of Hunsur; T.-Narsipur and Nagamangala Taluks; paddy in parts of Yedatore Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, cotton, jola, sugar-cane, mulberry, castor, ragi, tadagani, samé, til and black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Malvalli Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be in good condition. Food stuffs are available in sufficient quantity.

11. Public health is reported to be genirally good, except for plague in parts of Malvalli and Gundlupet Taluks and cholera in parts of Chamrajnagar, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks. Small-pox is reported to prevail in parts of Chamrajnagar, Yedatore and Malvalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "Dodroga" in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and T.-Narsipur and Gundlupet Taluks and Chapperoga in parts of Malvalli, Mandya and foot and mouth disease in parts of Nagamangala and Mandya Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—The standing crops in all the taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Estimated outturn of crops harvested.—Belur Taluk, ragi, paddy, kulthi and kadale, 8 annas.

Agricultural operations.—Sowing of ragi throughout the district and transplanting of paddy in Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk are going on.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague in parts of Hassan Taluk, cholera in parts of Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks and small-pox in parts of Arkalgud Taluk.

12. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are generally healthy, but for "Dodroga" in parts of Hassan, Manjarabad and Arkalgud Taluks.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The lands are being ploughed and manured in the Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Paddy is being sown in parts of Shimoga, Sorab and Sagar Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane is being planted in the Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks. Gingelly is being sown in parts of Shimoga Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks is reported to be good.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane is being milled in parts of Shimoga Taluk, (yield 10 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in the town of Kumsi and parts of Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks, public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for "Dodroga" and "Foot and Mouth" diseases in parts of Tirthahalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be in good condition. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in all the taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Koppa—paddy.

Standing Crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—sugar-cane and kode paddy; Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane; Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane; Koppa Taluk—areca, sugar-cane, coffee and cardamom; Mudgere Taluk—kode paddy; Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. "Foot and Mouth" disease is reported to be on the decrease among cattle in parts of the Kadur and Koppa Taluks and Sringeri Jahgir. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in the Davangere Taluk; til, green gram, black gram and paddy in the Hosdurga Taluk were sown during the week.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks; sugar-cane in the Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Holalkere and Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk; cotton in the Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk were harvested during the week. The yield is reported to be from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but it is reported that they are selling very dear. The prices are still rising.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for "Cholera" in the Molakalmuru Town and in a few villages of the said Taluk; and "Plague" in the Mittlikatte village of the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. "Foot and Mouth" disease is reported to be prevailing in some parts of the Hosdurga, Jagalur, Holalkere Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk and "Chappe-Jadya" in some parts of the Dharamapur hobli of Hiriyur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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